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The above-identified application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 120 to U.S. Patent Application No. 09/796,818 ("the '818 application"), filed March 1, 2001, now U.S. Patent No. 6,596,272, issued July 22, 2003. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), the Examiner is directed to the file of the '818 application for copies of references A01-A20, B01-B16, and C01-C22. Copies of references A21-A26, B17-B23, and C23-C26 are submitted herewith.

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Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner review the listed references and that the references be made of record in the file history of the application.

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